

## THE DAUGHTER OF THE PRESIDENT

Dance at the College in Her Honor.

## UP AGAINST THE ALDERMEN

A Citizen Enjoins the City Law-Makers From Forcing Him to Remove a Sign—The Court Sustains the Board—The Cotton Men.

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 30.—Special—The students at the Agricultural and Mechanical College gave a German last night complimentary to Miss Isabelle Byrd Winston, daughter of the president of the college. Twenty couples were on the side walk or street, must come down by Oct. 1.

The Fourth District appeals, to be heard by the Supreme Court, will have some of general interest. One of these is the case of Dr. D. H. Abbott vs. E. C. Beddingfield, involving the title to the office of Auditor or Corporation Commissioner. Another case on that docket is the suit of the Penitentiary Executive Board vs. State Treasurer Worth to compel him to pay out the remainder of the \$116,000 bond money for the debts of the penitentiary. It will be remembered that Treasurer Worth declined to pay for any debt contracted last year.

THE FAKE TELEGRAM.—The fake telegram which caused such widespread excitement on the cotton market yesterday was received here, but the cotton men kept their heads.

The State Museum has received a large cotton mouth water moccasin snake. It is a very poisonous snake and one rarely seen about here. Curator Birney will soon have it in an alcohol jar and ready for exhibition.

The following were made directors on the part of the State for the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad at the meeting in Morehead City: James A. Bryan, Craven; William Webb, Carteret; Louis G. Daniels; Farnieco; J. A. Meadow, Craven; T. C. Whitaker, Jones; L. Harvey, Lenoir; E. S. Sugg, Greene; J. W. Westbrook, Wayne.

The proxy committee was elected as follows, sixteen members:

H. R. Bryan, Jr. (Chairman); C. T. Watson, W. L. Kennerly, W. B. Blodges, G. N. Ivins, E. M. Menges, S. B. Waters, C. J. Walker, N. W. Taylor, J. H. Potter, M. M. Marks, D. Oettinger, C. Dewey, W. L. Arendell, J. Fields, Jr., Geo. Deems, REV. DR. LACY'S ILLNESS.

Rev. William S. Lucy, formerly rector of the First Presbyterian church at Norfolk, who has been so ill in New York, has been brought here to his birthplace to recuperate. He is still very feeble, but improving.

In New York Mr. William W. Fuller, formerly of North Carolina and Mr. E. M. Bloomestrom were assigned to the governor of North Carolina as his personal escort during the Dewey celebration in New York by the committee of arrangements. Governor Russell was also accompanied by members of his personal staff.

President Alderman, of the State University is here and is delighted at the number of students at the University. There are nine lady students.

## UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS.

Interest in the Coming Tennis Tournament—The German Club.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, Sept. 30.—Special—The coming tennis tournament at the University is looked forward to with considerable interest.

The contest has not yet commenced, but the date will be announced later. Those who have already entered the lists are Messrs. Nelson, Spillman, Cooke, Walker, Grubbs, Herbert and McIntosh. The prize for this contest is to be furnished by merchants of Charlottesville.

It is a handsome silver loving cup, with buckhorn handles, and has beautifully engraved upon the following inscription: "Merchants' Cup—University of Virginia—Single Tennis."

The Washington Literary Society has organized for the session, and the following officers elected for the first term: E. H. Fulton, of Wise, Va., president; John D. Gaskins, of Staunton, Fla., vice-president; Eugene P. Mallory, of Macon, Ga., secretary; A. Leo Oberdorfer, of Charlottesville, treasurer.

The University German Club, the leading social organization in college, has elected officers for the session as follows:

A. L. Atkinson, President; V. V. Vining, Vice-President; Brodie C. Nall, of Culpeper, vice-president; Don Preston Peters, of the University, secretary and treasurer. Friday, October 6th, was selected as the date of the fall general.

Malcolm Griffin of Bedford City, half-back on the Varsity foot-ball eleven of last season, has returned and entered the law department. It is hoped that he will be an applicant for this year's team.

Mr. Forney Johnston of Birmingham, Ala., who has been visiting friends at the University, left this afternoon for the University of Alabama, where he will pursue his law studies.

Mr. Ferdinand C. Walsh, of Washington, who graduated in medicine last June, is spending several days in college.

Recent visitors to the University have been W. D. Thomas and Miss E. M. Thomas, of Richmond; Mrs. J. J. Summers, of Texas; Mr. and Mrs. E. Cook, of Denver; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wauchope, of F. Roberts' Thornton Marion, D. Murdoch, George H. Murdoch and Eugene D. Murdoch, of St. Louis; J. E. Riddick, of Little Rock, Ark.; William R. Barkdale and James H. Guthrie, of Houston, Va.; Charles A. Read, of Atlanta; Frank Lee Thurman, of Keswick; Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gray, of Richmond; Mrs. Gertrude Woods Peery, of Brunswick, Md.; Miss Ella Castelman, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Emma B. Heard and Miss Alice Davis Heard, of Jersey City, N. J.; and J. H. Connell, of Staunton.

Dr. George Tucker Harrison, of New York, is on a visit to his daughter, Miss W. H. Echols.

## COLONEL WILLIAMS INVITED.

CANNOT ATTEND THE CORNER-STONE Laying in Chicago.

WINCHESTER, Va., Sept. 30.—Special—Colonel John J. Williams, of this city, Commander of the Grand Camp of Confederate Veterans of Virginia, has been invited to assist President McKinley at the laying of the cornerstone exercises of the government building in Chicago on October 9th.

Col. Williams has written a letter declining the invitation on account of ill health, and the necessity of his presence at the annual meeting of the Grand Camp of the Sons of Confederate Veterans on October 11th.

Address the Carpenters, Mr. W. J. Williams, of Atlanta, Ga., and address the journeymen carpenters of this city at Central Hall next Friday, October 12th.

# MILLER & RHOADS.

## Formal Fall Opening Sale Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, October 2d, 3d and 4th.

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Third. We have enlarged nearly every department in the store—added to the stocks, enlarging the assortments, bettering the qualities and lowering the prices—all merchandise offered for sale is of standard quality and good value for the price.

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Jackets, taffeta silk lined, plain skirts, near silk-lined, wide velvetine bindings. These suits are made to measure and fit slim. We are positive such values cannot be found elsewhere at our prices for...

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